

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-00870-CJN**

BURNETT v. DOJ/DEA  
Assigned to: Judge Carl J. Nichols  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 03/27/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 550 Prisoner Petition: Civil Rights (Other)  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff****GERRY D. BURNETT**

represented by **GERRY D. BURNETT**  
R31963-019  
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**Defendant****DOJ/DEA**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
03/27/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against DOJ/DEA ( Filing fee \$ 400, receipt number 4616097333) filed by GERRY D. BURNETT. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit, # <u>2</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(jf) (Entered: 03/29/2019)
03/27/2019		SUMMONS (4) Issued as to DOJ/DEA, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (jf) (Entered: 03/29/2019)
06/18/2019	<u>2</u>	MOTION to Compel by GERRY D. BURNETT. "Let this be filed. The Motion is Denied for failure to comply with local rules" signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 06/18/2019 (jf) . (Entered: 06/21/2019)
06/24/2019		Case directly reassigned to Judge Carl J. Nichols. Judge Emmet G. Sullivan is no longer assigned to the case. (rj) (Entered: 06/24/2019)
07/25/2019	<u>3</u>	MOTION for Extension of Time by GERRY D. BURNETT (jf) (Entered: 07/31/2019)
07/25/2019	<u>4</u>	MOTION to Appoint Counsel by GERRY D. BURNETT. "Let this be filed" Signed by Judge Carl J. Nichols on 07/25/2019 (jf) (Entered: 07/31/2019)
07/25/2019	<u>5</u>	MOTION for Reconsideration by GERRY D. BURNETT. "Let this be filed as a Motion to Reconsider Plaintiff's Motion to Compel" Signed by Judge Carl J. Nichols on 07/25/2019 (jf) (Entered: 07/31/2019)
07/31/2019		MINUTE ORDER. Upon consideration of Plaintiff's <u>3</u> Motion for Extension of Time, it is hereby ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED and that the deadline to serve

		the government defendants pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 4(c) and 4(i) is extended to October 29, 2019. It is further ORDERED that the Clerk shall reissue the summonses to Plaintiff. Signed by Judge Carl J. Nichols on July 31, 2019. (lccjn1) (Entered: 07/31/2019)
08/01/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Plaintiff Deadline To Serve The Governments Defendants due by 10/29/2019. (mac) (Entered: 08/01/2019)
08/01/2019		MINUTE ORDER. Upon consideration of Plaintiff's <u>4</u> Motion to Appoint Counsel, the Court does not find appointment of civil counsel under Local Rule 83.11(b)(3) appropriate at this time. Plaintiff's Motion is therefore DENIED. Signed by Judge Carl J. Nichols on August 1, 2019. (lccjn1) (Entered: 08/01/2019)
08/01/2019		MINUTE ORDER. Upon consideration of Plaintiff's <u>5</u> Motion to Reconsider Plaintiff's Motion to Compel, it is hereby ORDERED that the Motion is DENIED. Signed by Judge Carl J. Nichols on August 1, 2019. (lccjn1) (Entered: 08/01/2019)
08/02/2019		SUMMONS REISSUED (4) as to DOJ/DEA, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (zeg) (Entered: 08/02/2019)
10/02/2019	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to <u>1</u> Complaint by DOJ/DEA.(McBride, Patricia) (Entered: 10/02/2019)
10/02/2019	<u>7</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE by DOJ/DEA re <u>6</u> Answer to Complaint . (McBride, Patricia) (Entered: 10/02/2019)
10/18/2019	<u>8</u>	MOTION for Default Judgment by GERRY D. BURNETT. "Let this be filed as a Motion for Default Judgment" Signed by Carl J. Nichols, USDJ on 10/18/2019 (jf) (Entered: 10/25/2019)
11/25/2019	<u>10</u>	MOTION for Summary Judgment by GERRY D. BURNETT (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order, # <u>2</u> Exhibit A, # <u>3</u> Exhibit B, # <u>4</u> Exhibit C, # <u>5</u> Exhibit D)(eg) (Entered: 11/26/2019)
11/26/2019	<u>9</u>	MOTION for Leave to File by DOJ/DEA (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A–Opposition to Default)(McBride, Patricia) (Entered: 11/26/2019)